

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT OFFERED BY MR. OBEY

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is the gentleman opposed to the bill?

Mr. OBEY. I certainly am, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion to recommit.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. OBEY moves to recommit the bill, H.R. 3814, to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the bill back promptly with an amendment to increase funding for contributions to international peacekeeping activities with appropriate offsets.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I do not intend to push this to a rollcall vote. This motion to recommit simply increases funds for peacekeeping with appropriate offsets in the bill. I am offering the motion to indicate my concern about the level of funding for that program.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. ROGERS. Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition, urge a "no" vote, and I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the motion to recommit.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to recommit.

The motion to recommit was rejected.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XV, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 246, nays 179, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No 352]

YEAS—246

Archer	Burr	Dooley
Baesler	Buyer	Dornan
Baker (LA)	Callahan	Doyle
Ballenger	Calvert	Dreier
Barr	Camp	Dunn
Barrett (NE)	Campbell	Ehlers
Bass	Canady	Engel
Bateman	Cardin	English
Beilenson	Castle	Ensign
Bentsen	Chambliss	Eshoo
Bereuter	Chapman	Evans
Berman	Christensen	Everett
Bevill	Clinger	Farr
Bilbray	Coble	Fawell
Bilirakis	Combest	Fazio
Bishop	Costello	Fields (TX)
Bliley	Cramer	Flanagan
Blute	Cunningham	Foley
Boehrlert	Davis	Forbes
Bonilla	Deal	Fowler
Bonior	DeFazio	Fox
Bono	DeLauro	Franks (CT)
Borski	DeLay	Franks (NJ)
Boucher	Deutsch	Frelinghuysen
Brewster	Diaz-Balart	Frisa
Browder	Dickey	Furse
Brown (FL)	Dicks	Galleghy
Brownback	Dixon	Ganske
Bunn	Doggett	Gejdenson

Gekas	Manzullo	Roberts
Geren	Martini	Rogers
Gilchrest	Mascara	Ros-Lehtinen
Gilman	Matsui	Roukema
Goddard	McCollum	Sawyer
Gordon	McCrery	Schiff
Greene (UT)	McDermott	Schumer
Greenwood	McHale	Seastrand
Gunderson	McHugh	Serrano
Hall (OH)	McInnis	Shaw
Harman	McKeon	Shays
Hastert	McNulty	Shuster
Hastings (WA)	Meek	Sisisky
Hefner	Meyers	Skaggs
Heineman	Mica	Skeen
Hilleary	Miller (CA)	Skelton
Hobson	Miller (FL)	Smith (NJ)
Holden	Minge	Smith (TX)
Horn	Molinari	Smith (WA)
Houghton	Mollohan	Solomon
Hoyer	Montgomery	Souder
Hunter	Moorhead	Spence
Hutchinson	Moran	Spratt
Hyde	Morella	Stenholm
Johnson (CT)	Murtha	Talent
Kanjorski	Myers	Tate
Kasich	Myrick	Tauzin
Kelly	Nadler	Taylor (NC)
Kennelly	Nethercutt	Tejeda
Kim	Ney	Thomas
King	Norwood	Thornton
Kingston	Nussle	Thurman
Klecicka	Ortiz	Torkildsen
Klug	Oxley	Torricelli
Knollenberg	Packard	Towns
Kolbe	Pallone	Trafigant
LaHood	Parker	Upton
Latham	Paxon	Visclosky
LaTourette	Payne (VA)	Vucanovich
Laughlin	Pelosi	Walker
Lazio	Peterson (MN)	Walsh
Leach	Pickett	Wamp
Lewis (CA)	Porter	Watts (OK)
Lightfoot	Portman	Weller
Linder	Poshard	White
Lipinski	Pryce	Whitfield
Livingston	Quillen	Wicker
LoBiondo	Quinn	Wilson
Lofgren	Radanovich	Wise
Longley	Rahall	Wolf
Lowe	Regula	Young (AK)
Lucas	Richardson	Zeliff
Luther	Riggs	Zimmer

NAYS—179

Abercrombie	Dingell	Jacobs
Ackerman	Doolittle	Jefferson
Allard	Duncan	Johnson (SD)
Andrews	Durbin	Johnson, E. B.
Armey	Edwards	Johnson, Sam
Bachus	Ehrlich	Johnston
Baker (CA)	Ewing	Jones
Baldacci	Fattah	Kaptur
Barcia	Fields (LA)	Kennedy (MA)
Barrett (WI)	Filner	Kennedy (RI)
Bartlett	Flake	Kildee
Barton	Foglietta	Klink
Becerra	Ford	LaFalce
Blumenauer	Frank (MA)	Lantos
Boehner	Frost	Largent
Brown (CA)	Funderburk	Levin
Brown (OH)	Gephardt	Lewis (GA)
Bryant (TN)	Gibbons	Lewis (KY)
Bryant (TX)	Gillmor	Maloney
Bunning	Gonzalez	Manton
Burton	Goodlatte	Markey
Chabot	Goss	Martinez
Chenoweth	Graham	McCarthy
Chrysler	Green (TX)	McIntosh
Clay	Gutierrez	McKinney
Clayton	Gutknecht	Meehan
Clement	Hall (TX)	Menendez
Clyburn	Hamilton	Metcalf
Coburn	Hancock	Millender
Collins (GA)	Hansen	McDonald
Collins (MI)	Hastings (FL)	Mink
Condit	Hayworth	Moakley
Conyers	Hefley	Neal
Cooley	Herger	Neumann
Cox	Hilliard	Oberstar
Coyne	Hinchee	Obey
Crane	Hoekstra	Olver
Crapo	Hoke	Orton
Creameans	Hostettler	Owens
Cubin	Inglis	Pastor
Cummings	Istook	Payne (NJ)
Danner	Jackson (IL)	Petri
de la Garza	Jackson-Lee	Pombo
Dellums	(TX)	Pomeroy

Ramstad	Schaefer	Thornberry
Rangel	Schroeder	Tiahrt
Reed	Scott	Torres
Rivers	Sensenbrenner	Velazquez
Roemer	Shadegg	Vento
Rohrabacher	Slaughter	Volkmer
Rose	Smith (MI)	Ward
Roth	Stark	Waters
Roybal-Allard	Stearns	Watt (NC)
Royce	Stockman	Waxman
Rush	Stokes	Weldon (FL)
Sabo	Studds	Williams
Salmon	Stump	Woolsey
Sanders	Stupak	Wynn
Sanford	Tanner	Yates
Saxton	Taylor (MS)	
Scarborough	Thompson	

NOT VOTING—8

Coleman	Lincoln	Weldon (PA)
Collins (IL)	McDade	Young (FL)
Hayes	Peterson (FL)	

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Mr. MOAKLEY changed his vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. RIGGS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. TOWNS changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I was unable to be present for rollcall votes 317 through 326 earlier this week. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" or "aye" on rollcall votes 317, 319, 320, 324, 325, and 326 and "nay" or "no" on rollcall votes 318, 321, 322, and 323.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. McCathran, one of his secretaries.

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3816, ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1997

Mr. QUILLEN. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 483 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 483

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3816) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the